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JULY 1976 ARTICLE OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS CARRIES ARTICLE BY COLIN LEGUM ENTITLED "THE SOVIET UNION, CHINA AND THE WEST IN SOUTHERN AFRICA". IN DISCUSSING PRC SUCCESSES IN THE AREA HE MENTIONS THE TAN-ZAM RAILWAY. PARENTHETICALLY, HE STATES QUOTE AT PRESENT THEY (PRC) ARE CONSIDERING A REQUEST FROM BOTSWANA TO HELP OPERATE THAT COUNTRY'S SECTION OF THE LINE RECENTLY TAKEN OVER FROM RHODESIAN RAILWAYS. UNQUOTE. ARTICLE BEING POUCHED TO ADDRESSEE POSTS. KISSINGER

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